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GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
(EDUCATION-VII BRANCH)

NOTIFICATION

The 6th February, 2023

No. G.S.R 9/C.A.35/2009/S.38/Amd. (4)/2023.- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 (Central Act No. 35 of 2009), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2011, namely:-

RULES

1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (First Amendment) Rules, 2023.
(2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. In the Punjab Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2011, in rule 13, for sub-rule 4, the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-
"(4) The remaining twenty-five per cent of the strength of the School Management Committee shall be from amongst the following persons, namely:-
 - (a) one third members from amongst the elected members of the Local Authority, to be decided by the Local Authority;
 - (b) one third members from amongst the teachers from the school, to be decided by the teachers of the school;
 - (c) remaining one third from amongst the students in the school, to be decided by the students themselves, and
 - (d) the Head Teacher of the school or where the school does not have a Head Teacher, the senior most teacher of the school shall be the ex-officio member, but he shall not have any right to vote:

Provided that two additional members shall be included in the School Management Committee as special invitees out of which one member shall be a social worker residing in vicinity of the respective school and the other member shall be an educationist meaning thereby that such a person has worked in the education sector in a University, college, school or any other educational institution on a teaching post, or any other retired Government employee from Group-A service:

Provided further that such additional members shall not have any right to vote and their role in the School Management Committee shall only be advisory in nature:

Provided further that such additional members shall not be eligible to be elected as a Chairperson or Vice- Chairperson of the School Management Committee."

JASPREET TALWAR,
Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab,
Department of School Education.